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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF APRIL 11, 2007

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of April 11, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COLLECTING AND PROCESSING BLOOD